

Baltimore City Department of Human Resources

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EXAMINATION FOR: PARAMEDIC CRT

\$39,644 - \$59,918 **CRT GRADE:** 366

\$41,169 – \$62,480 **EMT - P GRADE:** 368

CLOSING DATE: Continuous Recruitment - November 5, 2010 is the last day to file an application.

POSITION: A Paramedic CRT provides emergency medical treatment at the scene of an accident or illness and transports sick and injured persons to medical facilities. A Paramedic CRT also analyzes and takes command of patient care with full responsibility for the patient until relieved by proper medical staff. Employees work rotating shifts including nights, weekends and holidays.

The eligible list may be used to hire persons as vacancies arise.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: On or before the date of filing the application, each candidate must:

Have, hold and maintain current Advanced Life Support certification as an Emergency Medical Technician - Intermediate from the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technician OR licensure as a Cardiac Rescue Technician (CRT) from the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS);

AND

Have a valid Maryland Class C Noncommercial driver's license or an equivalent out-of-state driver's license acceptable to the Office of Risk Management;

AND

Have graduated from an accredited high school or possess a GED certificate.

<u>For Paramedic EMT-P</u>: Candidates must hold and maintain current Advanced Life Support certification as an Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic (EMT-P) from the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians OR licensure as a Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic (EMT-P) from the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS).

NOTE: YOUR CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES MUST BE RECORDED ON YOUR APPLICATION AND WILL BE VERIFIED BY THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY. PROVISIONAL DRIVER'S LICENSES AND LEARNER'S PERMITS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE. A COPY OF YOUR ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT CERTIFICATION OR LICENSURE AND DRIVER'S LICENSE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR APPLICATION.

<u>NOTE</u>: Candidates for positions in this class must meet National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 1582, including being tobacco free on duty, upon appointment and throughout their length of service in the Baltimore City Fire Department.

<u>NOTE</u>: Current Fire Department members who are promoting into this job class are required to possess a valid City of Baltimore Driver's Permit. A COPY OF YOUR CITY PERMIT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR APPLICATION.

<u>NOTE</u>: Those eligibles who are under final consideration for appointment will be required to authorize the release of criminal conviction information and to submit to drug and alcohol testing.

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APPLICATIONS: Applications may be obtained by mail or in person from the Baltimore City Department of Human Resources, 201 East Baltimore Street, Suite 100, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION: Eligible candidates must pass a job-related physical examination administered by the City.

TESTING FOR DRUGS: Effective October 1, 1994, the City's pre-employment physical examination for all applicants will include substance abuse testing. Substance abuse testing shall also be required prior to promotion to a sensitive job classification.

ELIGIBILITY: Qualified candidates will be considered for vacancies as they arise, for a period of at least one year. The decision of the Director of Human Resources with respect to acceptable minimum qualifications is final.

SERVICE FEE: City employees who are represented by a union will be required to become union members or to pay a service fee as a condition of continuing employment after completion of a probationary period.

PROBATION: All persons, including current City employees, selected from an eligible list resulting from this examination will be on probation for one year.

SELECTION PROCESS: All candidates indicating the minimum qualifications on their applications will be placed on the eligible list without further examination. The licenses, training and experience of each candidate will be evaluated for appropriateness and quantity. It is essential, therefore, that you give complete and accurate information on your application. Vagueness or omission may prevent you from being considered for the position. Qualified candidates will not be listed in rank order.

NOTE: Candidates for positions in this class will be required to pass a physical ability test as required by the City of Baltimore.

<u>NOTE</u>: Those eligibles who are under final consideration for appointment will be required to obtain Maryland licensure as a Cardiac Rescue Technician from the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS) on or before the date of hire. <u>For Paramedic EMT-P</u>: Those eligibles who are under final consideration for appointment will be required to obtain Maryland licensure as an Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic from the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS) on or before the date of hire.

NOTE: Employees will be required to obtain training from the Baltimore City Fire Training Academy and retain certification in the following:

- Maryland Fire Service Professional Qualification Board Firefighter I and Fire Fighter II certifications.
- Maryland Fire Service Professional Qualification Board Responders to Hazardous Material certification.
- Must successfully complete a Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute (MFRI) Emergency Vehicle Operator Course (EVOC), or an equivalent course acceptable to the Office of Risk Management and the Maryland Department of Motor Vehicles.

<u>NOTE</u>: Members of the Baltimore City Fire Department must hold and maintain licenses and certifications in all of the above as a condition of employment. Members must successfully complete any additional educational courses and skills competency evaluations required by the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MEIMSS), National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT), Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute (MFRI) and/or Baltimore City Fire Department (BCFD). In the event changes in the standards, certifications or licensure requirements in any of the above, the member is required to maintain the equivalent certification or licensure to continue employment with the Baltimore City Fire Department.

<u>CONTINUOUS RECRUITMENT</u>: Vacancies may be filled at any time. Applications will be processed in the order in which they are received. Delay in filing your application may prevent you from being considered for vacancies.



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